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State Workforce Investment Board Acknowledges Certified One-Stop Systems

Helena - - - The State Workforce Investment Board (State Board) honored six recently certified One-Stop Systems at their meeting in Helena. Systems recognized were:

- Bitterroot Workforce One-Stop System (Hamilton)
- Central Montana Workforce System (Lewistown)
- Havre Area Workforce System (Havre)
- Mission Valley One-Stop Workforce System (Polson)
- Northeast Montana Workforce Development System (Glasgow and Wolf Point)
- Yellowstone Area System (Bozeman, Belgrade, and Livingston)

Certified One-Stop Systems were presented plaques that recognized them for their effective community partnerships and continuous improvement in the workforce system. The certifications represent partnerships within communities. Local Community Management Teams submit requests for certification, assuring customization to meet local needs. The certification process formalizes partnerships that have existed within communities and service delivery areas for years. Partners leverage resources to enhance programs' services and improve long-term employment outcomes for individuals. The One-Stop Systems achieve the federal vision for statewide workforce development.

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